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LOK SABHA

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SUPER SPECIALITY HOSPITAL FOR MINE WORKERS
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Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) the names with location of super-speciality hospitals functioning for coal mine workers at present, State and Union Territory-wise;

(b) whether patients have complained of certain irregularities in some hospitals;

(c) if so, the details thereof, hospital-wise;

(d) the steps being taken to set the matter right; and

(e) the measures proposed to be taken to ensure that no patient is referred to private hospitals for treatment when they are examined by super-specialists ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL & MINES (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a): There is no super-speciality hospital functioning under Coal India Limited. However, central hospital o f BCCL Dhanbad in Jharkhand State has one super-speciality wing for neuro-surgery.

(b): No irregularities in the functioning of super- speciality wing has been reported.

(c) & (d) : Does not arise, in view of reply to part (a) and (b) above.

(e): For complicated cases, treatment of which is not available in this super speciality wing, patients are mostly referred to Central and State Government Hospitals like New Delhi; SGPGIMS, Lucknow; PGI, Chandigarh; S S K M Hospital, Kolkata etc. However, ocassionally certain cases are referred to reputed private super speciality institutions like CMCH, Vellore etc.